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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TESTING PULSATILE ENDURANCE OF

A VASCULAR IMPLANT

RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 15, 2006 OFFICE ACTION (37 CFR §1.111)

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In Response to the Office Action of September 15, 2006, reconsideration of the objections and/or rejections and further examination of the application are requested.

Petition for Extension of Time to Respond

The period for response is hereby extended THREE months to expire March 15, 2007 by this Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time. A PTO-2038 for the appropriate petition fee of \$510 (37 CFR §1.17) accompanies this Response.

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